IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of James Hugh McLaughlin

ECH CENTER 1600/2900 ) Group Art Unit 1617

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 11313-1450

## PETITION FOR EXTENTION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (ONE MONTH)

Dear Sir:

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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, it is respectfully requested that the period for filing a response to the Official Action mailed August 22, 2003, in the subject application be extended for a period one month from November 22, 2003, to December 22, 2003. A check for the \$110.00 fee for said extension is enclosed along with an Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.112 and an attached Affidavit Under 37 CFR 1.132.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this paper along with enclosed check, Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.112 and Affidavit Under 37 CFR 1.132 is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this day of December, 2003, by Richard N. Miller. Rushand h. Miller.

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